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CIGARS.

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Special Attention Given to Orders
for Family Use.

Give me a call when in Detroit and
I will guarantee good usage.

N. SCHROEDER,

DETROIT, MICH.

HOW A PUZZLE WAS SOLVED.

When you want a certain article, you want
the best make of that article, don't you?
But how to determine which make is best
is what puzzles you, isn't it?
Then when the puzzle is solved for you,
by authority which cannot be questioned,
you are pleased, aren't you?
And you would like to hear of one puzzle
that has been solved for the people of
the whole world, wouldn't you?
Well, we will tell you about that very
puzzle, and its solution.

At the Universal Exposition of 1889 at
Paris, France, the best sewing machines
of the world, including those of America, were
in competition. They were passed upon by a
jury composed of the best foreign mechan-
ical experts, two of whom were the leading
sewing machine manufacturers of France.

This jury, after exhaustive examination
and tests, adjudged that the Wheeler &
Wilson machines were the best of all, and
awarded that company the highest prize of
fifty francs, the GRAND PRIZE, giving other
companies only gold, silver and bronze
medals.

The French Government, as a further
recognition of superiority, decorated Mr.
Nathaniel Wheeler, president of the com-
pany, with the Cross of the Legion of
Honor, the most prized honor of France.

Then how the puzzle of the best sewing
machine in the world was fully solved by the
most competent authority in the world in
favor of the No. 9 and No. 12 Wheeler &
Wilson machines.

The No. 9, for family use, and the No. 12,
for manufacturing uses, are the best in the
world to-day.

And now, when you want a sewing ma-
chine, if you do not get the best, it will be
your own fault.

Ask your sewing machine dealer for the
No. 9 Wheeler & Wilson machine, and he
does not keep them, write to us for descrip-
tive catalogue, prices and terms.

Agents wanted in all unoccupied territory.

WHEELER & WILSON MFG. CO.,
125 and 127 Wabash Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

THE DINEING CAR LINE

Pullman Sleeping Car Route.

Pullman service daily between Chicago, St.
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and between St. Paul, Minneapolis, and
North Dakota and Manitoba, Canada.

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Daily express trains carry Pullman
Sleeping Cars, Dining Cars, Coaches, Pull-
man Tourist Sleepers and Free Colonist Sleeping
Cars.

YELLOWSTONE PARK ROUTE.

The Northern Pacific R.R. is the rail line to
Yellowstone Park, the popular line to California
and Alaska, and the line to pass through the
grandest country of seven states.

THROUGH TICKETS

are sold at all Pullman stations. For rates
and conditions, apply to any Pullman agent
or to the Northern Pacific R.R. at St. Paul,
Minneapolis, or Chicago.

LOCAL TIME TABLE

No. 9 leaves from the South at 10:30 p. m. daily
except Sunday.

No. 12 leaves from the North at 8:30 a. m. daily
except Sunday.

No. 11 arrives from Duluth at 8:30 p. m. daily
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No. 10 arrives from St. Paul at 7:00 a. m. daily
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CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Sixth District Has a Very Har-
monious Meeting.

The congressional convention for
this district, for the purpose of elect-
ing delegates and alternates to the
National convention, was held at the
Opera house in Brainerd on Tuesday
afternoon and its deliberations were
marked with harmony and good feel-
ing. At 2 p. m. Chairman Benson
called the convention to order and
read the call and immediately Senator
W. P. Allen, of Carlton, was elected
temporary chairman and A. N. Dore,
of Elk River, secretary, their election
being unanimous and was afterward
made permanent. The chair ap-
pointed a committee of nine on cre-
dentials, one from each senatorial dis-
trict and one at large as follows:

J. B. Douglas, of St. Louis, S. S.
Luther of Aitkin, D. M. Campbell of
Benton, G. W. Devering Sherburn,
C. D. Moore, of Wadena, S. W. Gilpat-
rick of Anoka, J. Y. Breckenridge of
Pine, W. E. Miller of Todd, and Geo.
Lott of Beltrami.

The committee on resolutions was
appointed as follows:

F. E. Seales, Stearns, C. A. Ruffe,
Cass, W. E. Culking, Wright, O. S.
Lerch, St. Louis, S. H. Parker, Crow
Wing, D. McLean, Pine, E. Buel,
Beltrami, C. M. Plummer, of Anoka
and W. E. Lee, of Todd.

The committee on credentials re-
ported the following gentlemen enti-
tled to seats in the convention:

Aitkin county—F. P. McKillany,
A. P. Mye, Geo. Rice and S. S. Smith.
Anoka county—D. G. Dunham, T.
G. McLean, H. S. Plummer, Albie
Jespersen, S. W. Gilpatrick and C. T.
Wadsworth.

Beltrami county—R. W. Gilquist,
Frank Skimmerhorn, Ed. Curry, Wm.
Erikson.

Benton county—Erasmus Cross,
Geo. F. Rice, S. F. Martin, D. M.
Campbell.

Carlton county—W. P. Allen, M. H.
Wilson, A. N. McDowell, J. E. Lynde,
Jas. A. Wallace.

Cass county—C. E. Griffith, C. A.
Ruffe, T. J. Nary, C. P. Potter.

Cook county—R. L. Sheppard, Wm.
Fisher, G. E. Mahew, F. W. Mahler,
Crow Wing—Joel Smith, H. Pat-
terson, A. E. Pennell, L. Cooley, J.
McMurry, P. G. Fogelstrom.

Hubbard county—Wm. Pratt, W.
H. Martin, C. W. Wilkins, S. E. Cox.
Itasca county—C. A. Bull, H. R.
King, O. L. Mather, Wade Blake.

Lake county—Thos. Owens, M.
Silvstrant, James Cogswell, J. Gillon,
N. N. Shepard.

Wright county—John Schiefelke,
C. A. French, C. A. Fidgeon, J. S.
Swanson, J. H. Allen, W. E. Culking,
Nate Warner, Hugh Dickey, C. J.
Buckley.

St. Louis county—H. C. Kendall, J.
H. Thornby, J. O. Reardon, J. B.
Douglas, R. S. Lurch, John Rengilly,
J. A. Matheson, O. D. Renny, O. S.
Olson, F. B. Dorety, Wm. Shepard,
Jas. Cash, J. W. Hugo.

Stearns county—C. S. Benson, H.
G. Wise, C. F. Hendryx Jr., L. P.
Richardson, John Schiefelke.

St. Paul county—J. G. Breckenridge,
C. F. Stuphan, D. McLaren, E. Edger-
son.

Miller Lake county—Henry New-
bert, A. A. Carwell, A. L. Snow, R. O.
Dunn.

Morrison county—L. Jacobson,
Martin Scott, C. H. Shumaker, I. W.
Bouck, W. M. Fuller.

Wadena county—G. A. Whitney,
F. H. Hilliard, Thos. Lukins, C. Di-
more, Otis Larson.

Todd county—J. N. Smith, G. W.
Barry, W. E. Lee, W. E. Miller, A.
H. Odell, M. Nesbitt.

The committee on resolutions made
the following report which was unani-
mously adopted by the convention:

Resolved, That the republicans of
the sixth congressional district of
Minnesota in convention assembled
at this their first meeting since the
organization of the district, hereby
affirm their faith in the great prin-
ciples of the Republican party as
voiced in the platform of the last
national republican convention.

We believe in the doctrine of pro-
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Mr. Plummer of Anoka, nominated
R. C. Dunn, of Princeton, and the
nomination was made the unanimous
choice of the convention as the second
delegate. Mr. Dunn was called on
for a speech and stated to the conven-
tion that his choice was James G.
Blaine, for president, but that it was
altogether probable that he would not
have the pleasure of voting for him
and that he would do as the people of
the Sixth district desired and cast his
vote for Benj. Harrison.

J. M. Markham, of Aitkin, and D.
G. Dunham, of Anoka, were then
elected alternates.

By a unanimous vote the convention
agreed upon the name of W. E. Cul-
king, of Wright county, to be presented
to the state convention as a presi-
dential elector, and F. B. Doherty, of
St. Louis county, for delegate at
large.

The convention then adjourned.

The Journal has nominated a re-
publican legislative ticket for this
district.

The republican victory in St. Paul
on Tuesday was something for that
city to be proud of. After a score of
years under democratic administra-
tion the work of overthrowing the
ring rule was a task not easily accom-
plished, and the victory is all the
more glorious.

Arra showing by the last census
that the little state of Rhode Island
has three times as many woolen fac-
tories as the six large states of Texas,
South Carolina, Mississippi, Louisi-
ana, Florida and Arkansas, and point-
ing to the solid southern vote in con-
gress in favor of free wool, Mr. Horr
says: "What the people of the South
need to add to their prosperity is to
get out of the saloons and off from
the dry goods boxes at least every
three days in the weeks; stop worry-
ing for fear some one will think they
are no better than 'niggers'; and go
to work and build factories, open
mines, and utilize the natural ad-
vantages which are everywhere to be
found in their vicinity, and largely
unemployed." And what the demo-
cratic party needs is to get rid of
these thousand free traders.

Reading a long time? If you do call
at Dressel's and have your eyes
tested and fitted with a pair of glasses.
Prescriptions furnished for glasses not
carried in stock, such as for myopia
astigmatism, etc.

FRANCE'S DECADENCE.

A Steady Decline in the Population of
the Republic.

The population of France has been
steadily decreasing, or, at least, its
rate of increase has been steadily di-
minishing, and the dwindling process
has gone on continuously over a longer
period than is supposed. The loss is
double, for it is both relative and
actual. In the ten years from 1770 to
1780, in a population of 1,000 the
number of children born was 38. In
the following decade it was 32, and
then it sank to 28, 27, 26, till in the
decade of 1870 to 1880 it was only
24. Of course there were special
causes for this decline, but the French
Franco-Prussian war and the poverty
which followed the injury to the na-
tional credit. But still for a century
the population of France has been steadily
decreasing, and the French people are
details of the annual increase of popu-
lation are in many ways surprising.
England, which might be expected to
be the least of the two, the German
population has been steadily increasing
since 1870. In 1870 the English at 12; next,
but at a long interval, is Australia,
and then follows Italy. Hungary and
Sweden are next, and last on the list
is France.

Brainerd Dispatch.

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BRainerd, MINN.

From Melbourne and Sydney, in Australia, come reports of lack of work and depression and a closing among the people of the Exhibition Building in Sydney as a shelter for the homeless is an exhibition that that proud city did not expect.

As Prince George of Wales is to be married as soon as possible to the affianced of his late brother, his long-proposed trip to this country will be his bridal tour, probably. It will be safer for him to marry before he sees many of the American girls.

Mrs. Rouse, of West Virginia, lived to see a great-great-grandchild, and more than 2,000 descendants of different grades of great-grandchild. She began with 13 children of her own, and yet some people insist that 13 is an unlucky number.

Nor much stock will be taken in the story that Queen Victoria never retires until midnight, when it is recalled that she is a lone widow and is not likely to be yelied to at that hour of night by a belated husband to throw out a big bunch of keyholes so he can get in and go to bed.

According to a dispatch from Melbourne, Australia, the government is placing the men employed on the relief works on half time in order to give work to a greater number. With-out aid thus given the men employed would be absolutely without means of earning a livelihood.

There is a big lot of people out in California who never knew mighty they wrestle in prayer until the earthquake informally called at their respective place of business the other day. It remains to be seen whether they fulfill their ante-election pledges, however.

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As Prince George of Wales is to be married as soon as possible to the affianced of his late brother, his long-proposed trip to this country will be his bridal tour, probably. It will be safer for him to marry before he sees many of the American girls.

Mrs. Rouse, of West Virginia, lived to see a great-great-grandchild, and more than 2,000 descendants of different grades of great-grandchild. She began with 13 children of her own, and yet some people insist that 13 is an unlucky number.

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Announcements for Sunday, May 8. SUBJECTS--
MORNING--"The Priceless Value of the Church."
EVENING--"A Lamentable Condition."

Hours of worship, 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 12 M. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7:45.

The public generally, and visitors to our city, are most cordially invited to all our services, and we will be happy to greet you. Usuals at the door.

Local News Notes.

H. C. Miller, of Staples, is in the city.

R. E. Purcell, of Glendive, was in the city Wednesday.

John Bubar thinks of enlarging his hotel by building a 25 foot addition.

Frank Hubbard is in the city preparatory to moving his family to St. Paul.

Don't forget the Y. M. C. A. meeting of song Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A. F. Ferris is attending a meeting of the fish and game commission in St. Paul today.

The Congregational church ladies took in over \$13 at their "Aid" meeting Wednesday evening.

See the stage entirely set with new scenery for "She Couldn't Marry Three" Monday, May 9th.

Mrs. G. W. Vandervelde, of Winnipeg, accompanied by her daughter, is visiting friends in this city.

Wm. Percy is laid up at the Sanatorium, suffering from a rupture which he sustained by falling recently.

L. W. Chase has moved his Bodega saloon into the building formerly occupied by Geo. N. Day on Front street.

Brainerd Div. No. 7, U. R. K. P. will give the third and last of their series of dances on the evening of May 30th.

Wanted--Girl for general house work. Good wages paid for competent help. Apply at Campbell & Smith's.

Mrs. W. A. Fleming was called to Peoria, Ill., on Thursday morning, on account of the sudden death of her mother at that place.

Have you seen the bargains J. F. McGinnis & Co. are showing at their great sacrifice sale of clothing, hats, caps, boots and shoes.

McCarthy & Redding will be ready for business at their new grocery store on Monday. The goods are being unpacked and placed in position today.

Geo. H. Shaver has a contract on the Gull Lake & Northern road and is daily sending large numbers of men there to work. There is no need for men to be idle this spring.

On Monday C. D. Johnson will formally open his soda water fountain, and all are cordially invited to step in and look over his menu cards and partake of a cool drink gratis.

An accident occurred at Simpson's camp on Pine River last Sunday by which Geo. Upright, an employee, lost his life, being crushed under the logs. The deceased was unmarried and his home was in New York. He was buried in Evergreen Cemetery.

Rev. I. L. Cory, of Mankato, will preach at the 1st Congregational church next Sunday morning and evening, and at the 2d Congregational church at 3 p. m. Rev. J. C. Huntington will preach at Alexandria next Sunday.

The conductors ball, given at Gardner Hall last Wednesday evening, was one of the most largely attended balls yet given this season, and in all respects was a complete success. The members of the O. R. C. are always royal entertainers and this occasion was no exception.

D. M. Clark & Co. are busy placing their stock in the new quarters on Sixth street to which they are moving. The mammoth stock of furniture which Mr. Clark purchased in Chicago arrived on Wednesday and has been placed in position on the upper floor of the building. It consists of all the latest designs and a glance will readily show that it was very carefully selected. One large room is devoted exclusively to parlor furniture and plush goods of which there is an elegant display. The entire stock will be in position in a day or two and will present a fine appearance.

Concert goes will be pleased to learn that the Cosgrove Concert Company have been engaged to give one of their delightful entertainments in the opera house on Wednesday, May 11th. This company, which comes highly recommended by the press, after a continuation of seasons in the west, is composed of Canada's best talent. They are headed by the Cosgrove family who have a national reputation as musicians, performing on about fifty different musical instruments, including bells, glasses, etc., and John P. Driscoll, the versatile comedian, who never fails to send his audience away happy. The Helena Independent says of them: "Their program is a varied and pleasing one, comprising, as it does, some of the most beautiful musical selections, as well as the most popular songs and music. Mr. John Driscoll as a character vocalist is second to none on the road, and Miss L. Driscoll's recitations captured the audience from the first appearance on the stage."

Installation Services.

The installation of Rev. W. H. Ware as the pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city took place at the church on last Tuesday evening. The services were of a most interesting character. The opening exercises were conducted by Mr. Ware, after which the Rev. A. W. Ringland, D. D., of Duluth preached an impressive and appropriate sermon. The Rev. I. A. Ambler, of Cloquet, delivered the charge to the pastor and Dr. Ringland the charge to the church. After the concluding exercises the congregation went forward to extend their cordial greetings to their new pastor. Mr. Ware has been serving this church as stated supply for a few months past with most beneficial results. The congregations have been steadily increasing. Thirteen have been added to the membership. The Sunday school has very considerably increased its membership, and generally the church in its several departments evidences a growing prosperity.

The League Club.

A meeting of the republican league of Crow Wing county was held last Saturday evening in the council rooms at the city hall, and was a very harmonious affair. The meeting was called to order by A. J. Halsted, and C. E. Chipfield was elected secretary. A committee on permanent officers and organization, consisting of J. T. Frater, A. F. Groves and J. J. Howe was appointed who reported that it was thought best to defer the election of officers until a later day, but after discussing the matter it was decided not to postpone the matter but elect officers and get to work immediately, with the following result: President--J. T. Frater. Vice President--M. Hagberg. Second Vice Pres--S. H. Parker. Secretary--C. E. Chipfield. Treasurer--A. F. Ferris.

W. A. Fleming was elected to represent this league in the state league and a committee appointed to attend to securing accommodations for the congressional convention after which the meeting adjourned.

The Board of Education.

The annual meeting of the above named organization was held last evening with all members present except Henry Mahle. The complaint of Geo. Smith in regard to punishment of his boy was referred to a committee with power to act, as was also the request of Chas. Banks, for release of costs in his suit against the board. The annual reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and accepted. The purchase of flags for the several school houses was authorized and Messrs. Pennell and Congdon were appointed to attend to the same.

H. T. Skinner was elected principal of the Lowell school at a salary of \$65 per month. The salaries of Nellie Merritt, Charlotte Caloon and Kate Whiteley were raised \$2.50 per month each, and that of Emily Murphy \$5. The election of officers was then proceeded with, resulting as follows: James Towers, president. J. C. Congdon, vice-president. A. E. Pennell, secretary. O. P. Erickson, treasurer.

On the election of president Mr. Towers received five votes and J. C. Congdon four, the vote on treasurer standing the same between O. P. Erickson and W. D. McKay.

The matter of a school in the Fourth ward was left in the hands of a committee.

The bid of Louis Goodell for the erection of fences around shade trees and new sidewalk was accepted, bid being \$240.

The board adjourned after allowing the usual grid of bills.

The World's Columbian Exposition.

Sent 50 cents to Bond & Co., 676 Roanoke, Chicago, and you will receive, post paid, a four hundred page advance Guide to the Exposition, with elegant engravings of the grounds and buildings, portraits of its leading spirits, and a map of the city of Chicago; all of the rules governing the Exposition and exhibitors, and all information which can be given out in advance of its opening. Also, other engravings and printed information will be sent you as published. It will be a very valuable book and every person should secure a copy.

She Couldn't Marry Three.

Monday, May 9th, Lillian Kennedy in the N. Y. success, "She Couldn't Marry Three." This company use their own special scenery for this production and the company is first-class in every particular. Manager Alexander assures his patrons of full return for their money.

The small boy who, when asked his age, replied that, judged by the fun he had had, he was 100 years old, pretty accurately described the feeling of the large audience at the Academy last night. Lillian Kennedy made a decided hit, and an amusement that was crowded into three hours to unravel "She Couldn't Marry Three" was enough for two nights; and all the roles essayed by Miss Kennedy and the strong support was equally charming and successful. The company is far above the average, and is sure of big business. --[N. Y. Herald.]

A Card to the Public.

This is to certify that we have made arrangements whereby Mr. Henry I. Cohen will act in the future as our sole agent for the sale of Butterick's Patterns in this city and vicinity. He will take subscriptions for the Delinquent, and any of our publications. Mr. Cohen will carry in the future a complete and enlarged stock of our celebrated patterns.

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For Theater Goers.

Special attractions for May 7th, 9th and 11th at the Opera house.

Have you seen the bargains J. F. McGinnis & Co. are showing at their great sacrifice sale of clothing, hats, caps, boots and shoes?

Mrs. H. Thelvet has just received her new stock of spring millinery and it comprises some of the finest and latest patterns of imported bonnets and hats. The ladies of Brainerd are requested to call and look the stock over before purchasing elsewhere, as her prices are equally as low as the lowest.

A Sudden Call.

David Swanson, a well known citizen of Brainerd was found dead on Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock near the corner of Eighth and Laurel streets.

Mr. Swanson was down town the evening before in his usual good health and started home at 11 o'clock in company with Messrs. Mahlum. The two gentlemen went along together and when they reached that point they separated each going his way home. Charles Swanson, of the firm of Parsons and Swanson, and a son of the deceased, arrived home about 1 o'clock, and was alarmed at the non-appearance of his father as he knew he had started with the intention of going direct to the house, and he at once began search for him, and found his lifeless body only a short distance from the place where Mr. Mahlum separated from him. The cause of his death was heart disease, and it was evident that the gentleman had been dead several hours when found. Mr. Swanson was a respected citizen and leaves a wife and son besides scores of friends to mourn his untimely death. The funeral took place from his late residence yesterday afternoon.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners, Meeting Held on May 3rd, 1892.

All members present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Petition of citizens of Town 44, Range 29, to organize the SW 1/4 of said town into a school district was granted said district, to be known as District 33.

The following bills were allowed: Brainerd Dispatch, printing and stationery.....\$21.50 J. A. Bixby, overseer poor farm.....50.00 Andrew Paulson, work done at farm.....16.00 John Cameron, seed wheat poor farm.....34.00 S. F. Alderman, clerk of court, March term.....85.10 S. F. Alderman, entering personal tax judgments.....10.20 Joel Smith, attending three meetings.....16.80 H. Spalding, boarding prisoners.....54.83 Larson & Walters, coal for court house.....16.00 Lewis & Jermol, planks to repair bridge.....23.90 John T. Frater, expressage and postage.....14.05 M. Hagberg, oils for county jail.....1.50 John Engman, work done on road.....1.50 H. Patterson, attending four commissioner meetings.....25.60 H. Patterson, surveying at poor farm.....3.00 On motion an abatement of \$225.00 was recommended on lot 22, block 287 for 1892.

Petition of citizens of Town of Motterville for an appropriation of \$350.00 to build a bridge across Noka Sebie was on motion rejected.

Board of F. A. Farrar as city clerk in the sum of \$600.00, was, on motion, accepted.

The following bills were allowed: R. K. Whiteley, making survey and plat lot 4, T. 45, R. 30.....\$8.00 J. H. Gibson, help in above.....2.00 N. P. Clark, goods for Co. jail.....23.00 Evergreen Cemetery, graves dug for paupers.....12.00 Brown, Tracy & Co., books and stationery.....17.00 Geo. D. Barnard & Co., books and stationery.....60 Geo. D. Barnard & Co., books and stationery.....115 Loeck & Davis, coffin and burial of S. Handson.....15.00 Joel Smith, planks for repairing culverts.....8.15 M. Hagberg, groceries for poor farm.....21.90 J. T. Sanborn, meals furnished jurors.....34.80 A. Mahlum, making list taxable mortgages.....32.00 N. P. Clark, purchase of bull for farm.....150.00 H. Spalding, fees as sheriff of state cases.....37.50 Board adjourned until the first Tuesday in June.

LOUIS TACHE, County Auditor.

CASS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Proceedings of the Board of Cass County Commissioners, Meeting Held Monday, May 2nd, 1892.

Present, Commissioners Nary and Hallett.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Bill of Ed. Hayward, road overseer, 133-31.....\$10.50

Petition of citizens of Towns 133-30 and 133-31 to lay out a road was granted.

The following road district, to be composed of the west half of Town 134-31, was on motion formed and W. W. Bryan appointed as road overseer of same.

Board adjourned until the first Monday in June.

LOUIS TACHE, County Auditor.

Headache and neuralgia, like dreams fade away before the magic influence of Dr. Whitehall's Megrimine. Sold by C. D. Johnson, and money refunded if not satisfactory.

Do You Want Land?

Eighty acres of land, partly under cultivation, to exchange for residence property in Brainerd. The land is within a half mile of a thriving village and within two miles of one of the largest paper and pulp mills in Wisconsin. If you wish a bargain call on or address this office.

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The City Council.

The council met in regular session last Monday evening. All present but Alderman Johnson.

The monthly reports of city officers were read and approved.

The resignation of Dr. W. Hemstead as president of the board of health was read and accepted, and Dr. A. F. Groves was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy.

The monthly pay rolls and a number of bills were ordered paid.

The matter of opening Sixth street was referred to the street committee, city attorney and city engineer.

A communication from Ambrose Tighe regarding the laying of new water mains was read and referred to the city attorney.

A motion was carried recommending to the board of county commissioners that four dollars be added to Mrs. Follett's sidewalk tax, and added to the other half lot in Block 68.

A petition from Edwards Cavalry Volunteers, asking council to rent the Armory twice a month for a drill hall, was referred to property committee.

A petition from the Y. M. C. A., asking for free electric lights, was referred to electric light committee.

The board of E. Collier & Co. for liquor license was referred back for correction.

Pool table license was granted to J. H. Keichler and John Parsons.

Dray license was granted to A. W. Wilson, Pat Ladum and J. M. Collier.

The president stated that the salary of the assessor would be paid according to law on the first Monday of May in each year. On motion the salary of the assessor for 1892 was fixed at \$500, the assessor to pay all incidental expenses.

A motion was carried requesting the mayor to order the chief of police to give special attention to Ordinance No. 98, in regard to cleaning streets and sidewalks.

The sum of \$50 was granted to the G. A. R. for Decoration day.

The matter of clearing up the City Park was referred to property committee with power to act.

Council adjourned.

Y. M. C. A.

The entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening, May 3rd, was a great success. A crowded hall and loud encores greeted all who took part in the program showing how they were appreciated. Look out for something entirely new at the next, which will be May 17th.

Doing Good Work.

We clip the following from the columns of the Princeton Union:

Evans, Brook, Minn. April 23, 1892. Mr. Editor--Perhaps some of your readers would be interested in what is going on in this neighborhood. About nine days ago Mr. Archibald Speers, the American Sunday School Missionary, and his son, Rev. Luther Speers, came here and commenced a series of gospel meetings in the school house. The attendance has been good and there has been a wonderful awakening; between thirty-five and forty have professed salvation, among them a good many heads of families, and others are under conviction for their sins. The preachings of these brethren are simple, plain, pointed and forcible. The doctrine that they preach does not consist in creeds, but urging sinners to repent, forsake sin and turn to God and accept Christ as their savior, through faith in His atonement, for sin. The Sunday school was organized at the close of the meetings, with glowing prospects of success, and a Christian Society and prayer meeting appointed for Wednesday evenings, and a leader chosen to take charge. We were sorry the brethren had to leave so soon, as some said the whole neighborhood would be converted if they could stay a few days longer.

One of the Saved.

EMILY HENRY.

Gorton's Minstrels.

The Alpena, Mich., Press of April 12th, in speaking of the performance there the evening before, says: "This company opened in the opera house to good business last night. The curtain rolled up on a magnificent stage, and Gorton's Gold Cornet organ started the program by a fine selection. The first part contained the usual songs and dialogue--probably the best being the bass solo by J. W. Wilson. Sam Lee, cornetist, rendered the Last Rose of Summer, accompanied by the Gold Sextette. Mr. Lee is a cornet player, and his fine triple tonguing and execution has never been equalled in Alpena--not even by the great Levy, who has appeared here. We are not comparing Mr. Lee to Levy, but he has a brilliant future before him if he does not waste his opportunities. Welby, Pearl and Keys, in their specialties, are the strong feature of the show--their tumbling, high jumping and high kicking being particularly good work. The Elliotts are fine dancers, as good as there are in any company on the road, and those who enjoy a refined song and dance can be well entertained by this team. Corporal Johnson is a gem with a gun, and DeWitt Cooke is a wonder with his saw. The closing features of the show are good, and the whole performance is worthy of patronage. They appear again to-night. At the Opera House Saturday evening, May 7th--25 high class artists. Open air concert at 12 noon at First National Bank corner. Uniformed parade to follow."

Items of Interest.

Large line of clothing at Cale's.

L. J. Cale wishes to see all his old friends at his new stand.

A new stock of fresh candies just received at McGinn & Bailey's.

Horses, cows, ponies, wagons, buggies and harnesses for sale on time at Hoffman's.

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(First publication May 6th.)

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss. County of Crow Wing. In Probate Court, Regular Term, May 2d, 1892. In the Matter of the Estate of William Whitney Hogan, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Eliza R. Hogan, executrix, of said estate, of William Whitney Hogan, deceased, representing, among other things, that she is fully administered, said estate, and praying that a time and place be set for examining and allowing the final account of her administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law.

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and said petition heard, by this Court, on Monday, the 25th day of May, A. D. 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court, in the City of Brainerd, Minn., in the above entitled proceeding.

Further that a copy of this order be published in a copy of this order once in each week, for two successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd in said county, Dated at Brainerd, Minn., the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1892.

By the Court, MILTON McFADDEN, Judge of Probate.

(First publication May 6th.)

Assignee's Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss. County of Crow Wing. In District Court, 12th Judicial District. In the Matter of the Assignment of Geo. N. Day, Insolvent, to J. J. Spencer.

On reading and filing the report and petition of H. J. Spencer, Assignee, of said Geo. N. Day, insolvent, and asking that a time be set for hearing which it appears that he has converted into cash the property which has come into his hands as assignee and asking that a time be set for hearing his account and within which creditors may file their claims against said insolvent be tied before said day of hearing.

Ordered, That said account be heard and examined, and that all persons who may have claims against the said Geo. N. Day, insolvent, do so on or before the 11th day of May, 1892, present the same duly verified, with the proof thereof, to said Fred. Bruehler, at the city of Brainerd, Minn., on or before the 11th day of June, 1892, for allowance.

G. W. HOLLAND, Judge District Court.

(First publication May 6th.)

Assignee's Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss. County of Crow Wing. In District Court, 12th Judicial District. In the Matter of the Assignment of Henrik Holman and Otto Olson, Co-partners as Holman & Co., Insolvent.

At Brainerd, in chambers of said court, May 4th, 1892, appearing to the Court by said assignee, and the filer in the above entitled matter, a report and petition of said assignee, asking that a time be set for hearing his account and within which creditors may file their claims against said insolvent be tied before said day of hearing.

Now, on the application of W. A. Fleming, it is ordered, That all persons who may have claims against the said Holman & Co., do so on or before the 11th day of May, 1892, present the same duly verified, with the proof thereof, to said Fred. Bruehler, at the city of Brainerd, Minn., on or before the 11th day of June, 1892, for allowance.

G. W. HOLLAND, District Judge.

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For tickets, maps, pamphlets and full information apply to G. F. McNeill, C. P. & T. A., Minneapolis, Minn., or to Jas. C. Pond, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Chicago, Illinois.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
 Corner of Eighth and Norwood Streets.
 Rev. W. H. Ware, Pastor.
 Announcements for Sunday, May 8.
 SUBJECTS--
 MORNING--"The Precious Value of the Church."
 EVENING--"A Lamentable Condition."
 Hours of worship, 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.
 Sunday school, 12 M.
 Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7:45.
 The public generally, and visitors to our city, are most cordially invited to all our services, and we will be happy to greet you. Ushers at the door.

Local News Notes.
 H. C. Miller, of Staples, is in the city.
 R. E. Purcell, of Glendive, was in the city Wednesday.
 John Bubar thinks of enlarging his hotel by building a 25 foot addition.
 Frank Hubbard is in the city preparatory to moving his family to St. Paul.
 Don't forget the Y. M. C. A. meeting of song Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
 A. F. Ferris is attending a meeting of the fish and game commission in St. Paul to-day.
 The Congregational church ladies took in over \$13 at their "Aid" meeting Wednesday evening.
 See the stage entirely set with new scenery for "She Couldn't Marry Three" Monday, May 9th.
 Mrs. G. W. Vandervelde, of Winipeg, accompanied by her daughter, is visiting friends in this city.
 Wm. Percy is laid up at the Sanitarium, suffering from a rupture which he sustained by falling recently.
 L. W. Chase has moved his Bodega saloon into the building formerly occupied by Geo. N. Day on Front street.
 Brainerd Div. No. 7, U. R. K. P. will give the third and last of their series of dances on the evening of May 30th.
 WANTED--Girl for general house work. Good wages paid for competent help. Apply at Campbell & Smith's.
 Mrs. W. A. Fleming was called to Peoria, Ill., on Thursday morning, on account of the sudden death of her mother at that place.
 Have you seen the bargains J. F. McGinnis & Co. are showing at their great sacrifice sale of clothing, hats, caps, boots and shoes.
 McCarthy & Redding will be ready for business at their new grocery store on Monday. The goods are being unpacked and placed in position to-day.
 Geo. H. Shaver has a contract on the Gull Lake & Northern road and is daily sending large numbers of men there to work. There is no need for men to be idle this spring.
 On Monday C. D. Johnson will formally open his soda water fountain, and all are cordially invited to step in and look over his menu cards and partake of a cool drink gratis.
 An accident occurred at Simpson's camp on Pine River last Sunday by which Geo. Upright, an employee, lost his life, being crushed under the logs. The deceased was unmarried and his home was in New York. He was buried in Evergreen Cemetery.
 Rev. I. L. Cory, of Mankato, will preach at the 1st Congregational church next Sunday morning and evening, and at the 2d Congregational church at 3 p. m. Rev. J. C. Huntington will preach at Alexandria next Sunday.
 The conductors ball, given at Gardner Hall last Wednesday evening, was one of the most largely attended balls yet given this season, and in all respects was a complete success. The members of the O. R. C. are always royal entertainers and this occasion was no exception.
 D. M. Clark & Co. are busy placing their stock in the new quarters on Sixth street to which they are moving. The mammoth stock of furniture which Mr. Clark purchased in Chicago arrived on Wednesday and has been placed in position on the upper floor of the building. It consists of all the latest designs and a glance will readily show that it was very carefully selected. One large room is devoted exclusively to parlor furniture and plush goods of which there is an elegant display. The entire stock will be in position in a day or two and will present a fine appearance.
 Concert goes will be pleased to learn that the Cosgrove Concert Company have been engaged to give one of their delightful entertainments in the opera house on Wednesday, May 11th. This company, which comes highly recommended by the press, after a continuation of successes in the west, is composed of Canada's best talent. They are headed by the Cosgrove family who have a national reputation as musicians, performing on about fifty different musical instruments, including bells, glasses, etc., and John P. Driscoll, the versatile comedian, who never fails to send his audience away happy. The Helena Independent says of them: "Their program is a varied and pleasing one, comprising, as it does, some of the most difficult musical selections, as well as the most popular songs and music. Mr. John Driscoll as a character actor is second to none on the road, and Miss L. Dall's recitations captured the audience from the first appearance on the stage."

Installation Services.
 The installation of Rev. W. H. Ware as the pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city took place at the church on last Tuesday evening. The services were of a most interesting character. The opening exercises were conducted by Mr. Ware, after which the Rev. A. W. Ringland, D. D., of Duluth preached an impressive and appropriate sermon. The Rev. I. A. Ambler, of Cloquet, delivered the charge to the pastor and Dr. Ringland the charge to the church. After the concluding exercises the congregation went forward to extend their cordial greetings to their new pastor. Mr. Ware has been serving this church as stated supply for a few months past with most beneficial results. The congregations have been steadily increasing. Thirteen have been added to the membership. The Sunday school has very considerably increased its membership, and generally the church in its several departments evidences a growing prosperity.

The League Club.
 A meeting of the republican league of Crow Wing county was held last Saturday evening in the council rooms at the city hall, and was a very harmonious affair. The meeting was called to order by A. J. Halsted, and C. E. Chipfield was elected secretary. A committee on permanent officers and organization, consisting of J. T. Frater, A. F. Groves and J. J. Howe was appointed who reported that it was thought best to defer the election of officers until a later day, but after discussing the matter it was decided not to postpone the matter but elect officers and get to work immediately, with the following result: President--J. T. Frater. Vice President--M. Hagberg. Second Vice Pres.--S. H. Parker. Secretary--C. E. Chipfield. Treasurer--A. F. Ferris. W. A. Fleming was elected to represent this league in the state league and a committee appointed to attend to securing accommodations for the congressional convention after which the meeting adjourned.

The Board of Education.
 The annual meeting of the above named organization was held last evening with all members present except Henry Mahle. The complaint of Geo. Smith in regard to punishment of his boy was referred to a committee with power to act, as was also the request of Chas. Banks, for release of costs in his suit against the board. The annual reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and accepted. The purchase of flags for the several school houses was authorized and Messrs. Pennell and Congdon were appointed to attend to the same. H. T. Skinner was elected principal of the Lowell school at a salary of \$65 per month. The salaries of Nellie Merritt, Charlotte Cahoon and Kate Whiteley were raised \$2.50 per month each, and that of Emily Murphy \$5. The election of officers was then proceeded with, resulting as follows: James Towers, president. J. C. Congdon, secretary. A. E. Pennell, secretary. O. P. Erickson, treasurer. On the election of president Mr. Towers received five votes and J. C. Congdon four, the vote on treasurer standing the same between O. P. Erickson and W. D. McKay. The matter of a school in the Fourth ward was left in the hands of a committee. The bid of Louis Goodell for the erection of fences around shade trees and new sidewalk was accepted, bid being \$240. The board adjourned after allowing the usual list of bills.

The World's Columbian Exposition.
 Send 50 cents to Bond & Co., 576 Broadway, Chicago, and you will receive, post paid, a four hundred page advance Guide to the Exposition, with elegant engravings of the grounds and buildings, portraits of its leading spirits, and a map of the city of Chicago; of the rules governing the Exposition and exhibitors, and all information which can be given in advance of its opening. Also, other engravings and printed information will be sent you as published. It will be a very valuable book and every person should secure a copy.
 She Couldn't Marry Three.
 Monday, May 9th, Lillian Kennedy in the N. Y. success, "She Couldn't Marry Three." This company use their own special scenery entirely for this production and the company is first-class in every particular. Manager Alexander assures his patrons of full return for their money.
 The small boy who, when asked his age, replied that, judged by the fun he had had, he was 100 years old, pretty goodly, and he is the youngest of the large audience at the Academy last night. Lillian Kennedy made a decided hit, and the amusement that was crowded into three hours to unravel "She Couldn't Marry Three" was enough for two nights; and all the roles essayed by Miss Kennedy and the strong support, was equally charming and successful. The company is far above the average, and is sure of big business.--[N. Y. Herald.]

A Card to the Public.
 This is to certify that we have made arrangements whereby Mr. Henry I. Cohen will act in the future as our sole agent for the sale of Butterick's Patterns in this city and vicinity. He will take subscriptions for the Delinquent, and any of our publications. Mr. Cohen will carry in the future a complete and enlarged stock of our celebrated patterns.
 THE BUTTERICK PATTERN CO., Limited.
 For Theater Goers.
 Special attractions for May 7th, 9th and 11th at the Opera house.
 Have you seen the bargains J. F. McGinnis & Co. are showing at their great sacrifice sale of clothing, hats, caps, boots and shoes?
 Mrs. H. Theviot has just received her new stock of spring millinery and it comprises some of the finest and latest patterns of imported bonnets and hats. The ladies of Brainerd are requested to call and look the stock over before purchasing elsewhere, as her prices are equally as low as the lowest.

A Sudden Fall.
 David Swanson, a well known citizen of Brainerd was found dead on Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock near the corner of Eighth and Laurel streets.
 Mr. Swanson was down town the evening before in his usual good health and started home at 11 o'clock in company with Messrs. Mahlum. The two gentlemen went along together and when they reached that point they separated each going his way home. Charles Swanson, of the firm of Parsons and Swanson, and a son of the deceased, arrived home about 1 o'clock, and was alarmed at the non-appearance of his father as he knew he had started with the intention of going directly to the house, and he at once began search for him, and found his lifeless body only a short distance from the place where Mr. Mahlum separated from him. The cause of his death was heart disease, and it was evident that the gentleman had been dead several hours when found. Mr. Swanson was a respected citizen and leaves a wife and son besides scores of friends to mourn his untimely death. The funeral took place from his late residence yesterday afternoon.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.
 Proceedings of Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners, Meeting Held on May 3rd, 1892.
 All members present.
 Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.
 Petition of citizens of Town 44, Range 23, to organize the SW 1/4 of said town into a school district was granted said district, to be known as District 33.
 The following bills were allowed: Brainerd Dispatch, printing and stationery, \$21.50
 J. A. Birby, overseer poor farm 50.00
 Andrew Paulson, work done at farm 16.00
 John Cameron, seed wheat poor farm 34.00
 S. F. Alderman, fees clerk of court, March term 85.10
 S. F. Alderman, entering personal tax judgments 10.20
 Joel Smith, attending three meetings 16.80
 H. Spalding, boarding prisoners 54.83
 Larson & Walters, coal for court house 16.00
 Lewis & Jerno, planks to repair bridges 23.90
 John T. Frater, expressage and postage 14.05
 M. Hagberg, oils for county jail 1.50
 John Eagman, work done on road 1.50
 H. Patterson, attending four commissioner meetings 25.60
 H. Patterson, surveying at poor farm 3.00
 On motion an abatement of \$225.00 was recommended on lot 22, block 287 for 1891.
 Petition of citizens of Town of Moorerville for an appropriation of \$350.00 to build a bridge across Noka Sabie was on motion rejected.
 Board of F. A. Farrar as city clerk in the sum of \$600.00 was, on motion, accepted.

The following bills were allowed:
 R. K. Whiteley, making survey and plat lot 4, T. 45, R. 30 88.00
 J. H. Gibson, help in above 2.00
 C. M. Patek, goods for Co. jail 23.00
 Evergreen Cemetery, graves dug for paupers 12.00
 Brown, Tracy & Co., books and stationery 17.00
 Geo. D. Barnard & Co., books and stationery 60
 Geo. D. Barnard & Co., books and stationery 115
 Loeys & Dean, coffin and burial of S. Handson 15.00
 Joel Smith, planks for repairing culverts 8.15
 M. Hagberg, groceries for poor farm 21.90
 J. T. Sanborn, meals furnished jurors 34.80
 A. Mahlum, making list taxable mortgages 32.00
 N. P. Clark, purchase of bull for farm 150.00
 H. Spalding, fees as sheriff at fast cases 37.50
 Board adjourned until the first Tuesday in June.
 LOUIS TACHE,
 County Auditor.

CASS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.
 Proceedings of the Board of Cass County Commissioners, Meeting Held Monday, May 2nd, 1892.
 Present, Commissioners Nary and Hallett.
 Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.
 Bill of Ed. Hayward, road overseer, 1891-92, \$10.50
 Petition of citizens of Towns 133-30 and 133-31 to lay out a road was granted.
 The following road district, to be composed of the west half of Town 134-31, was on motion formed and W. W. Bryan appointed as road overseer of same.
 Board adjourned until the first Monday in June.
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Gorton's Minstrels.
 The Alpena, Mich., Press of April 12th, in speaking of the performance there the evening before, says: "This company opened in the opera house to good business last night. The curtain rolled up on a magnificent set stage and Gorton's Gold Cornet organ started the program by a fine selection of music. The first part contained the usual songs and dialogue--probably the best being the bass solo by J. W. Wilson.
 Sam Lee, cornetist, rendered the Last Rose of Summer accompanied by the Gold Sextette. Mr. Lee is a cornet player, and his fine triple tonguing and execution has never been equalled in Alpena--not even by the great Levy, who has appeared here. We are not comparing Mr. Lee to Levy, but he has a brilliant future before him if he does not waste his opportunities.
 The Elberta and Keys, in their specialties, are the strong feature of the show--their tumbling, high jumping and high kicking being particularly good work.
 The Elberta are fine dancers, as good as there are in any company on the road, and those who enjoy a refined song and dance can be well entertained by this team.
 Corporal Johnson is a gem with a gun, and DeWitt Cooke is a wonder with Indian clubs.
 The closing features of the show are good, but the whole performance is worthy of patronage. They appear again to-night.
 At the Opera House Saturday evening, May 7th--25 high class artists. Open air concert at 12 noon at First National Bank corner. Uniformed parade to follow.

The Big "B."
 Are showing a more complete stock of boots and shoes than ever was shown in Brainerd and better value. Come in and see them. Custom work and repairing as usual.
 R. F. WALTERS,
 Sixth Street.

Megrimine is the only guaranteed permanent cure for headache and neuralgia. Relieves in 20 to 30 minutes. A great blood cleanser and stimulant that in time positively cures. Sample free. The Dr. Whitall Megrimine Co., South Bend, Ind. Sold by C. D. Johnson.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.--U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

The City Council.
 The council met in regular session last Monday evening. All present but Alderman Johnson.
 The monthly reports of city officers were read and approved.
 The resignation of Dr. W. Hemstead as president of the board of health was read and accepted, and Dr. A. F. Groves was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy.
 The monthly pay rolls and a number of bills were ordered paid.
 The matter of opening Sixth street was referred to the street committee, city attorney and city engineer.
 A communication from Ambrose Tighe regarding the laying of new water mains was read and referred to the city attorney.
 A motion was carried recommending to the board of county commissioners that four dollars be added to the other half lot in Block 63.
 A petition from Edwards Cavalry Volunteers, asking council to rent the Armory twice a month for a drill hall, was referred to property committee.
 A petition from the Y. M. C. A., asking for free electric lights, was referred to electric light committee.
 The board of E. Cullen & Co. for liquor license was referred back for correction.
 Pool table license was granted to J. H. Keelan and John Parsons.
 Dray license was granted to A. W. Wilson, Pat Latham and J. M. Collier.
 The president stated that the salary of the assessor would be paid according to law on the first Monday of May in each year. On motion the salary of the assessor for 1892 was fixed at \$500, the assessor to pay all incidental expenses.
 A motion was carried requesting the mayor to order the chief of police to give special attention to Ordinance No. 98, in regard to cleaning streets and sidewalks.
 The sum of \$50 was granted to the G. A. R. for Decoration day.
 The matter of clearing up the City Park was referred to property committee with power to act.
 Council adjourned.

Y. M. C. A.
 The entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening, May 3rd, was a great success. A crowded hall and loud encores greeted all who took part in the program showing how they were appreciated. Look out for something entirely new at the next, which will be May 17th.

Doing Good Work.
 We clip the following from the columns of the Princeton Union:
 ESTES BROOK, Minn., April 20, 1892.
 Mr. Editor--Perhaps some of your readers would be interested in what is going on in this neighborhood. About nine days ago Mr. Archibald Speers, the American Sunday School Missionary, and his son, Rev. Luther Speers, came here and commenced a series of gospel meetings in the school house. The attendance has been good and there has been a wonderful awakening, between thirty-five and forty have professed salvation, among them a good many heads of families, and others are under conviction for their sins. The preachings of these brethren are simple, plain, pointed and forcible. The doctrines that they preach do not consist in creeds, but urging sinners to repent, forsake sin and turn to God and accept Christ as their savior, through faith in His atonement for sin. The Sunday school was organized at the close of the meetings, and glowing prospects of success, and a christian society and weekly prayer meeting appointed for Wednesday evenings, and a leader chosen to take charge. We were so busy we had to leave so soon, as some said the whole neighborhood would be converted if they could stay a few days longer.
 One of the Saved,
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